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NOTARY PUBLIC.

Z. F. PARISH REPUBLIC BUILDING CITY ITEMS.

#### TOLEDO FAIR BILL KILLED. Ohio Assembly Failed to Make an

Appropriation.

Columbus, O., April 16.-The Ghie Legis lature adjourned to-day. Among other legislation killed by the adjournment was the million-dollar appropriation for the To-ledo Exposition,

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS. This is a clothing store as complete and carefully looked after as though It was the only business on hand. A large assortment of \$15 SPRING SUITS in our Clothing Department, MILLS & AVERILL, BROADWAY AND PINE.

#### HOKE SMITH'S PAPER SOLD.

Atlanta Journal Passes Under Con trol of a New Management.

Atlanta, Ga., April 16,-Honorable Hoke Smith to-day sold his interest in the Atlanta Journal to H. M. Atkinson, Morris Brandon and J. R. Gray of Atlanta. The Brandon and J. R. Gray of Atlanta. The minerity stockholders also disposed of their holding. The money turned over to Mr. Smith to-day for his fifty-three shares was \$159,000. The amount involved in the entire transaction is \$255,000.

George H. Diskinson, fermerly of the New York Heraid, with the publisher under the new regime, it if Cahanies has been asked to remain as hashes manager, as has also Josiah Carter, for several years the managing editor, and it is believed they will do so. Mr. Atkinson is president of the Georgia Electric Light Company, the

Tifton, Thomasville and Gulf Ralifond and the Union Lumber Company, and is con-nected with a number of other Atlanta cu-

#### Missouri Supreme Court. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Jefferson City, Mo. April 16.—The proceedings in the Supreme Court to-day were as follows: St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad vs. Ger-den, argued and submitted

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Coleman vs. Hicks; submitted on briefs.
Dunnavin vs. Picks; submitted on briefs.
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Ozark Land and Lumber Company vs. Industrace; submitted on briefs.
Hubb vs. Laciede Land and Improvement Company; submitted on briefs.
Carter vs. Current River Railroad; submitted on briefs.
Hydon vs. Leftenberser; submitted on briefs.
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State ex rel. Christian County vs. Cideon; submitted on briefs.
Adjourned to to-morrow.
DIVISION NO. 2
Monette Town Company vs. Fyelds; motion to dismiss appead sustained.
State ex rel. Helikanip vs. Egiland; submitted on briefs.
Chellide vs. Lott: arrued and submitted.

on briefs.
Clotille vs. Lutz; argued and submitted.
St. L. & N. W. R. R. vs. Knapp-Start Lumber Company; passed to be reset.
Compton Hill Improvement Company vs. Tow-sr; argued and submitted.
Loomis vs. Missouri Pacific Railroad; argued and submitted.
Peterson vs. Iron Mountain Railroad; argued and submitted.
Adjourned to to-metrow.

If you visit the metropolis, the ad. of the Hotel Empire on page opposite editorial will

Two Weddings at Texarkana. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mr. George P. Goodwin and Mrs. Rebecca
Patton came here from Camden, Ark., today and were married by the Reverend D.
F. C. Timmons of the M. E. Church,
South. The couple came this far to be
joined in matrimony because they are first
counts, and such alliances are prohibited
by the laws of Arkansas. Mr. Emmet
King and Mrs. Lizzie Weiber, well-known
people of the cits, were married to-day by people of the city, were married to-day by the Reverend T. F. Wenver.



ACTS GENTLY ON THE KIDNEYS, LIVER

AND BOWELS CLEANSES THE SYSTEM DISPELS EFFECTUALLY,
DISPELS EFFECTUALLY,
OVERCOMES HEADACHES
OVERCOMES HABITUAL CONSTIPATION

ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS. QUERNIA FIG SYRVP C

# THEM WITH RICE.

Station When Harry G. Koenig Arrived With His Bride.

COUPLE'S PLANS WERE UPSET. DID THE COURTING BY MAIL. JUDGE

Inquisitive Man's Telegrams Blasted Their Hope of Surprising Their Acquaintances With Quiet Wedding.

VAY and Mire Aivinia Runge of No. 2533 quaintances and be married quietly. They to married quietly all right, but did not ich was very quiet, was in vivid contrast to their return, which was made the cornidon for a demonstration by their

Bright and early yesterday morning Mr. Rooning Miss Rungs and the bridal party, Miss Lilly Renard, Miss Latu Runge and Mr. B. W. Owen, assembled at the Union Station and took scats in an out-of-the-way corner where they would not invite the obtvation of any friends.

When they heard their train called cut bey quickly made their way through the mie and got aboard. Arrived at Controlle bey had breakfast, after which a vehicle was procured and they drove to Salem, where the bride has relatives. Some one in Centralia suspected that a wedding was on the taple, and he followed the party to Centralia. When he was assured that he was right he sent several telegrams to friends of the couple in St. Louis, and they

At 6 o'clock last night the bridal party arrived at Union Station over the Air Line, and as soon as they struck the Midway they received an unexpected greating. The air was filled with rice and old shoes and the shours and laughter of the party were heard all over the place. Nearly every one n the Midway, which is crowded about that hastened to the place where the bridal couple were vainly trying to escape their friends and to keep the rice from citing down their backs

As soon as the rice was used up the party dispersed, and the porter arrived on the score with a broom and a big scoop. He was the only one about the station that did not appreciate the joke.

#### SERVANT'S GOOD FORTUNE. Amalia Fischer Learns That She Is Heir to \$5,000.

Amalia Pischer, a young German girl,

Smith to-day for his fifty-three shares was 155,000. The amount involved in the entire transaction is \$255,000. The amount involved in the entire transaction in the old country. The amount involved in the entire transaction in the present situation in Kentucky, any state the present situation in Kentucky, any state the present situation in the present situatio the city, but were located after much trouble at Afton, Mo. They told Herrmann that Amalia was working for a Mr. Haag at No. 760 South Broadway. There the girl was found yesterday morning, hard at work in the kitchen. She at first refused to believe the story told her of her inheritance, but when convinced of its truth she was fairly beside herself with Joy.

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	REALLY RELIABLE WATCH		
Sold	Gold (Ladies')	14 to	3400
Solid	Gold (Gentlemen's)	40 to	Siv
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Solid	Silver (Gentlemen's)	10 to	4
Wate	hes for boys and girls	6 to	1

MERMOD & JACCARD'S, Broadway and Brite For Watch Catalogue - Mailed Free,

All warranted.

## RABBI SPITZ'S SON INJURED. He and Jacob Hengle Were Struck

A team of horses attached to a heavy dray wagon belonging to Albert Duroscher became frightened and ran away from Fourth and Market streets yesterday afterneen about 5 o'clock, Isadore M. Spitz, president of the Western Manifold Company of No. 362 South Fourth street, and Jacob Hengle, 69 years old, a watchman in the Water Rates office, were crossing the street immediately in front of the horses and found it impossible to get out of the

by a Runaway Team.

his home, at No. 383 Folsom avenue, in an ambulance. He is a son of Rabbi Spitz. Hengle escaped with only a small scalp wound. It was sewed up, and he went to his home, at No. 1219 South Seventh street.

"How to Advertise." This is a pamphlet published by The costor & Collier Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, gen-al advertishing agents. In this pamphlet by aim to tell the successive steps which they aim to tell the successive steps which must be taken by the advertiser to insure success. The Proctor & Collier Company place such well-known advertisements as old English Floor Wax, Coke Dandruff Cure, Puritan Gil Stoves, Korniet, Baldwin Piano, Fireside Games, Odorless Refrigerators, Roekwood Pottery, U. S. Playing Cards, Pillsbury's Vitos, Ivery Soap, specimens of which appear in this book. A copy will be sent to any address if a 2-cent stamp be enclosed.

## PIONEER DRY GOODS DEALER.

Death of J. Wilson Worthington, a Retired Merchant.

J. Wilson Worthington, a pioneer St. Louis dry goods merchant, died yesterday at his home, No. 2849 Morgan street. He was born in 1839, and while a boy he served was born in 1830, and while a boy he served through the Mexican War as a drummer. When he returned to St. Louis he went to work for the dry goods firm of Porter & Havens. After he had gone into business for himself he catabilished the first dry goods store on Broadway in 1855. Ten years later he entered into a partnership with C. Vorhis in a large store at Hanmbal, Mo. He had not been actively engaged in business for several years prior to his last illness.

United States Consul to China Writes from Washington, D. C.: "I join with my distinguished friend, General Joseph Wheeler, of my State, in recommending your preparation, Pe-ru-na. Friends who have used it recommend it as an excellent to ite and particularly good as a catarrheour."

"Respectfully, J. Courtney Hixson."

Nester-Randall. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Ridgway. Ill., April 16.—Miss Claude
Ella Randall of Ridgway and Mr. Herman
Nester of Omaha, Ill., were married here
yesterday. 'Squire Crawford officiated.

Malt-Nutrine has no equal for its well-defined purposes of aiding the convalescent, the weak, the mother in recovering health, strength, appetite. Made only by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n, St. Louis, U. S. A. Sold

# **BRIDEGROOM AT**

Unique Demonstration at Union Thomas James of Chester, Ill., Weds Miss Anna M. Kelly of St. Paul, Minn.

He Had Not Seen His Fiancee for Four Years When They Met in St. Louis Yesterday.

Thomas James of Chester, Ill., 79 years old, former member of the State Legisulature of Illinois, from Randolph County, and Miss Anna M. Kelly, aged 40 years, of St. Hetel, at 5:30 p. m.

The marriage, according to the statement of Mr. James at the marriage license ofice was in the nature of an elopement, inasmuch as none of the friends of the parhad been acquainted with the step which the couple proposed to take. Mr. James said that he met Miss Kelly four years ago, while visiting his son in St. Paul. Miss Kelly called at his son's house while Mr. James was there and he as I am her sale support. I finally decided fell in love with her.

The attachment was matual, and when he cturned to his home in Chester he wrote to her. She answered his letter and from that time they corresponded. He proposed by mail and she sent a reply accepting him. It was arranged that they should meet in St. Louis and get married. He, therefore, came to St. Louis yesterday, and she arrived from her home in St. Paul. They net here for the first time since they

Miss Kelly remained at the hotel and he was diven to Justice Walker's office at Tenth and Olive streets. He made arrangements with the Justice to call at the hotel at 539 o'clock and perform the marriage and not St. Louis for your address!"

## CASES SET FOR APRIL 30.

Supreme Court Then Will Hear the Kentucky Controversy.

Washington, April 16.-The cases involving the Kentucky Governorship were dockemployed as a servant by a grocer in South | etcd in the United States Supreme Court St. Louis, learned yesterday that she is to-day. A brief statement, in which coun-

ers of the judiciary with relation thereto."

Mr. Bruce presented the above statement of facts, and the Court set the case for hearing on the 35th inst., granting each side four hears for argument. While Mr. Bruce was making his statement the Cutef Justice asked him if he did not expect the question of jurisdiction to be raised, and whether he did not also expect a motion to dismiss. Mr. Bruce replied that both were probable, but that there was such confusion in the State that all were anxious for a decision during the present term of the court and that the course undertaken was apparently the only one onen.

"If," he added, "the Court should sustain the motion to dismiss for lack of furisdiction, that result would, of course, end the controversy.

ontroversy.

If the opinion on such a motion should If the opinion on such a motion should be adverse to dismissal it would then, he admitted, probably be too late to hear the case on its merits.

After Mr. Bruce concluded his statement the case was assigned to hearing on the 3cth inst., and four hours alletted to each side for argument.

#### HUNGER GOT THE BEST OF HIM. Stranger Sought Food in a House and Was Arrested.

John Gardner, who came to St. Louis from Chicago, Ill., became hungry Sunday afternoon, having eaten nothing for the wagon passed over Mr. Spitz, fracturing his right leg.

The team was caught a block away, and brought to a stop without doing further damage. An ambulance conveyed the two injured men to the City Dispensary, where Doctor Johnson attended their injuries. He was taken to its home, at No. 3531 Folsom avenue, in ambulance. He is a son of Rabb. See the special sections of the leg. Mr. Spitz sustained internal injuries. He was taken to its home, at No. 3531 Folsom avenue, in length escaped with

tered.

She set about to prepare huncheon. As the passed back of the cuphoard she caught a glimpse of the man and screamed for help. Mrs. Runa, thunking there were burghars in the house, ran downstairs with her revolver and fired a shot to attract the attention of the police as the man darted out the back door. Gardner stopped and threw up his hands. Mrs. Runn held him in this position until the arrival of a policeman, who placed the man under arrest and took him to the station. A charge of trespass tered. him to the station. A charge of trespass was placed against him and he was fined \$100 in the First District Police Court yes-

## WRIGHT INQUEST POSTPONED.

Mrs. Lottridge in a State Nervous Prostration.

Chicago, April 16,-The inquest over th body of Rufus Wright, the millionaire bicycle tire maker, who died yesterday from the effects of a bullet wound received Saturday night while in the apartments of Mrs. Louise Lottridge at the Leland Hotel, was to-day postponed until April 24.

The postponement was made at the request of Police Licuteman Perry, who said that Mrs. Lottridge was in a state of almost nervous prestration and not fit to testify. Mrs. Lottridge had to be dragged by main force into the undertaking establishment to-day, where the inquest was to have been held, and she trembled and shock constantly until the postponement was granted.

Five detectives are working on the case, but as yet it is said they have procured no direct testimony bearing on the mysterious shooting. the effects of a bullet wound received Saturshooting.

Jewelry, clocks, watches, etc., repaired by the most expert workmen at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust. Eings, Medals and Budges made to order.

## NEGRO BULLY KILLED.

He Terrorized the Passengers on a Kentucky Train.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 16.-Morgan Boone, colored, swaggered through an excursion train at Slaughtersville last night. cursing and brandishing a pistol. He broke a white man's skull with a coupling-pin-Boone was shot and killed and his body thrown from the train. Passengers were ante stricken.

## MARRIED UNDER ASSUMED NAMES.

Eloped to Clayton Gets Them

WURDEMAN

Clear of William M. Cook, a Kansas City Man, Whose

ter avenue and Miss Minnie Stites of No. Clayton on January 17 by Probate Judge Paul, Minn., took out a marriage license G. A. Wurdeman, and who saw fit to advesterday and were married by Justice of vertise the matter in the St. Louis papers the Peace Robert Walker at the Laciede one day last week in order to square themtheir action.

The trouble was brought on the young couple, not so much by the secreey that they maintained, but by the manner in which they saw fit to explain it to the world at large, Among other things Cooper with quoted as soying: "I thought that my to go to Clayton and consult my friend, Judge Wurdeman, The Judge told me he ould fix things so I could be married with-

When Judge Wurdeman read Cooper's morning, he was insignant, The Judge's records showed that he had not married any man by that name, and he accordingly wrote to Cooper, asking for an im-

at 5:30 o'clock and perform the marriage ceremony.

The Justice appeared at the hotel at the appointed time and was shown into the parlor. Mr. James and his fiancee were notified that the outsice had arrived. The couple proceeded to the parlor, where the marriage would not become known until he saw fit to amounce it. He assured the Judge that he did not want to cause him any inconvenindam, bether of Chester, were present at the ceremony. They declared that Mr. James was a man of atrong convictions and if he decided to marry they had no objections and would make none.

and not St. Louis for your address!"

Thus cornered, Cooper admitted that he had been married under an assumed mane in order to make sure that his marriage would not become known until he saw fit to amounce it. He assured the Judge that he did not want to cause him any inconvenience or trouble.

Judge Wurdeman told Cooper that as far as he was concerned the explanation was satisfactory. "But I would advise you," he said, "to fight shy of the reat William M. Cook of Kausas

Venence or trouble.

Judge Wurdeman told Cooper that as far as he was concerned the explanation was satisfactory. "But I would advise you," he said. "In high shy of the real William M. Cook of Kansas City If he ever strikes your trail. For the William M. Cook of Kansas City If he ever strikes your trail. For the William M. Cook of Kansas City is already a married man, and when the report of the Clayton marriage reached Mrs. Cook, she immediately consulted a firm of lawyers to have him prosecuted. I have here several letters asking for a minute discription of you, in order that guilt might be fastened upon the transgressor. Of course your description did not fit him, but Mrs. Cook is still suspicious."

Judge Wurdeman says that while morally speaking, marriage under assumed names might not receive the sanction of speciety, still, in order to safeguard its interests, the law would recognize the union as valid.

Outlines His Position in the Meier Grand Jury Suit.

City Counselor Schnurmacher has not yet and grave interest and importance, fively-ing the nature and extent of the powers of an election contest tribunal and the pow-ers of the judiciary with relation thereto."

Mr. Burgos respectively. Mr. Allen, have been very for the property of the second of the interest of the supply Commissioner's office. He and this associate, Mr. Allen, have been very for the property of the property of the second of the interest the Supply Commissioner's office. He and his associate, Mr. Allen, have been very busy the fast three days attending to legal business in the Federal courts and he has not had sufficient time to formulate the charges. He thinks it possible that he may be in a position to turn the papers over to the Mayor within a day or so.

"The filing of the suit by Mr. Meier against the Grand Jury," he said, "will not in any way influence my action. That is an entirely separate and distinct affair. I am meetly complying with the suggestion of the the suit instituted by Mr. Meier."

The Mayor refuses to discuss the Meie suit or the investigation of the Supply Com missioner's office.

## PETTINGILL'S AXIOMS.

(From the Boston Herald.) Advertising is the "Golden Gate" to pros Advertising is the lever that moves the business world.

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The old Cobweb and Spider style of obtaining business is a thing of the past—how you must get customers by judicious advertising. Ivertising.
The public is just as anxious to buy your ods as you are to sell-if the merit is

In almost every business there is one Procrastination of advertising plans may be the thief of presperity.

The proper time to prepare an advertising campaign is now be ready.

## CELEBRATED PREMATURELY.

Why Nicholas Levic Is Not How ard Gould's Steward.

have been brief, but it certainly was not lacking in incident. Levic is now languishing in jail, in default of a \$1 fine. while Mr. Gould is once more endeavoring to solve the servant problem.

Levie came well recommended, and on Saturday entered Gould's employ. He reported for duty early on Easter Sunday morning at the Gould mansion in Fifth avenue, but later went out to view the Easter parade.

Perhaps he wanted to celebrate securing such a recol stanton; perhaps he was being such a recol stanton; perhaps he was being the control of the

April Birth Month Rings. The birth stone for this month is the diamond, signifying "Innocence." Diamond rings, solid gold mountings, \$4 to \$1,900.

cust, Solid Gold Wedding Rings a Specialty, \$2 to \$20.

#### SUES FOR DIVORCE. Wife of the Bogus Captain Clark Asks Her Freedom.

New Orleans, La., April 16.—Bertha Warnken of Cincinnati, who married Julius Moyse under the assumption that he was Captain Clark of the battleship Texas, today entered suit against her husband for Moyse has been convicted of impersonat-

F THOMAS JEFFERSON could have photographed and described





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If you have not seen it, please do not blame us,



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## ST. LOUIS BOY WINS FAME IN ENGLAND.

George I, Drew Captures the Queen's Cup in Athletic Competition at Stonyhurst.

BREAKS SEVERAL RECORDS

His Specialty Is Running and Broad Jumping-Graduate of St. Louis University, and Son of F. A. Drew.

Company, is gaining considerable reputation in England as an all-around athlete. At the recent sports held at Stonyhurst folloge, Lancashire, where young Drew a student, he made eighteen points in athletic competition, which won for him the Queen's Cup, a trophy which is pre-Day at the college. The young St. Louisan broke several of the college records. According to information received from Stonyhurst, Drew sprang a surprise upon the faculty and students of the college. They had looked upon him as an athlete of considerable ability, but no one thought of him in connection with the Queen's Cup. Their surprise was great, therefore, when be finished winner in five of the principal

events, with close seconds and thirds in The events won by Drew were the most important ones upon the list, and the ones for which most training was necessary. He finished first in the 10-yard dash, making it in 193-5 seconds. He also won the 229 and 446 yard races, making the latter in 53 seconds. The running broad jump he cap-tured with a jump of 19 feet. Besides these Drew finished first in a feature face, and gained points by second and third places

in regular events. George Drew was fairly well known as an athlete while attending the St. Louis University in this city. He was a member of the football team, and also made good cords in track athletics. He was always a good sprinter, and spent most of his training in that direction. He was graduated from the St. Louis University last June, and went to Stonyhurst for the opening of the term. The report says that George Drew is one of the most promising

Correct Forms of Wedding Invita-

tions, Calling and reception cards are assured when ordered at Mermod & Jaccard's, so clety stationers, Broadway and Locust. Write For Samples and Prices-Mailed Free,

## ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

Municipal Assembly Finished Business of Its Term.

The Municipal Assembly adjourned sine die yesterday afternoon, the term having expired. The new session will begin this

afternoon.

Eoth branches of the body convened in their respective chambers at 5 o'clock. There were nine members present in the Council and twenty-one in the House.

The bill appropriating \$1.98 to furnish a courtroom in the old City Hall for the use of the First District Police Court and the bill appropriating \$250.00 for the extension of the waterwicks system from nump main of the waterworks system from pump mai No. 9 were passed.

The reply of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange to the suggestion contained in the Hodges resolution asking that a citizens' committee be appointed to investigate the city's finances was read and flad.

and filed.

A committee of three from such branch appointed to wait on the Mayor to see if he had any further business to lay before the Assembly reported that the Mayor had none. On concurrent resolution the Assembly then adjourned sine die.

## FOR LOWER WATER RATES.

Bill to Be Presented by Delegate Hartmann.

Delegate Hartmann, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Delegates, said yesterday that as the result of conference with Theodore Hemmelmann a conference with Theodore Hemmelmann,
Assessor and Collector of Water Rates, he
would introduce a bill in the House calling
for a reduction in water rates. The bill will
provide, he said, for a 25 per cent reduction,
but these figures may be amended before
the measure is finally submitted to the
House. The City Counselor is at present
revising the original draft of the bill.

for divorce.

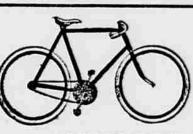
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New and beautiful designs, 5c to \$10, at

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## **LACLEDE** and **COLUMBIA** BICYCLES

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Laclede Bicycles-Note the Coneless Bearings, Eccentric Rear Fork End and Chain Adjuster, Hubs with Knock-Out Axles and the general finish, construction and easy running qualities.

Prices, \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$35.00. Westminster Juvenile Bicycles....\$19.00, \$20.00, \$22.50

The Greatest Sporting Goods Store Samons Hardware @

Neat and Suitable Presents

## EASTER WEDDINGS.

A. KURTZEBORN & SONS, JEWELERS.

## STREET RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

Report for First Quarter of 1900 Shows a Decrease.

The returns made to the City Register by the street railways, for the first quarter of the year, ending March 31, show a decided decrease as compared with the returns of the last quarter of 1899. The total number of trips made for the first quarter this year is given as 1.322.001, and the number of passengers carried as 29.94,50, as against 1.583.15 trips and \$2.783.600 passengers for the last quarter of 1899.

The returns of the various systems follow:

St. Louis and Suburban Railway
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Merames Railway Company.
St. Louis Traction Company
(People's Railway Company)
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clading baden, St. Louis Hallroad Company Southwestern
Railway Company.
St. Louis Traction Company (all
other divisions). Trips, gers. 54,093 2,006,041 22,533 752,969

74,334 3,191,725 1,170,206 23,003,891 

Age and Spectacles

Are not always synonymous. Some need glasses earlier than others. Dr. Rond, expert optician at Mermod & Jaccard's Breadway and Locust, will examine your eyes free of charge and if you need classes will fit them accurately. Steel frames \$1 and up; gold, \$5 and up. Pearl and Leather Opera Glasses, \$3.25 to \$35.

## SENATOR HANNA NOT ILL.

He Has Fully Recovered From a Slight Indisposition.

A. Hanna left Old Point to-day for Washington. The stories sent out from Fort Monroe and Norfolk regarding the Senator's illness were greatly exaggerated, He was slightly indisposed when he reached Old Point Thursday, but was well enough yesterday to spend practically the entire day out of doors, visiting points of interest in this vicinity.

## Texas Supreme Court.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Austin, Tex., April 18.—The following proceedings were had in the Supreme Court to-day:

Affirmed—Gulf, Western Texas and Pacific Railway Company vs. George Letsch et al.; Dewitt County.
Certified questions answered—Taylor, Boon & Wadel vs. M. P. Blewey, Smith County.
Certified questions set for April 30—Patty, Johner & Eubank Company vs. R. J. Cummins, Hunt County.
Motion for rehearing submitted—Oriental Investment Company vs. Maggle Barclay et al., Duffus County.

The Best Prescription for Malaria hills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteles hill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in asteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.



FORT WORTH CARNIVAL. Floral Parade and Other Festivitives at Fort Worth.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 16.-Fort Worth is to have a spring carnival Wednesday and Thursday, April 18 and 19. The first day is to be given to a floral parade and battle of flowers, many of the designs being em-blematical as, for instance, the Dukes of York and Lancaster with retinue to suggest the English War of the Roses.

Thursday there will be a military display and cighteen or twenty companies have fig-nifled their intention to be here. There will be a sham battle in the afternoon. At night the Mystle Knights of Bovinia will give a Mardi Gras kind of parade, for which many floats have been prepared and costumes grotesque or historical made. About five hundred Red Men will assist, and the fiesta will close with a display of fire-works. For an area of 189 or more miles around a 1-cent-a-mile rate has been made by the railways, and reduced rates for the longer distances.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children. "I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recom-mended to me by a drusgist as the best cough medicine for children, as it contained no opium or other harmful drug,"—Asiv.

Ended His Life With Poison. Omaha, Neb., April 18.—The remains of Augustus Frank were found in his rooms in the Paxton Hotel this afternoon. Death was due to poison. Frank is the son of the principal owner of the Kearney, Neb., Catton Mills.



Don't Forget That When Smoking a

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Explanation by Couple Who Into More Trouble.

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Warns the Bridegroom to Keep Name He Gave.

selves with "the old folks at home," are now in all kinds of trouble on account of

out anybody finding it out,"

interview in The Republic last Saturday met here for the first time since they parted, four years ago.

Taking a carriage, they were driven to the Courthouse and the heense was secured. They were then driven to the Lacledo Hotel.

Miss Kelly remained at the hotel and he William M. Cooper.

"I married you by the name of William M. Cooper."

## CITY COUNSELOR TALKS.

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Advertising is the lover that moves the

New York, April 16.-Nicholas Levie's career as steward for Howard Gould may

appeared at the front door of the Gould in mansion in a state which prohibited his entrance. The watchman firmly, even vigerously, declined to let him come in.

Then according to the police. Levie stood on the pavement and said things. An unfriendly policeman did the rest, and as Levie could not pay his fine he was sent to talk.

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ing and deceiving, and is practically cer-tain to go to the penitentiary, and that is considered in this State a sufficient ground for discrete